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STOCKPILE ANNOUNCES PGM BOA SALES FOR MAY 2004

Fort Belvoir, VA - The Defense National Stockpile Center today announced the aggregated MAY 2004 PGM sales results under the Basic Ordering Agreement, DLA-PGM-002.

During MAY, DNSC sold:

Iridium 200 Troy Ounces

Palladium 1,500 Troy Ounces

Awards were made to the following companies for an overall value of approximately \$412,000.

Mitsui & Co., New York, NY Dresdner Bank, New York, NY A-1 Specialized of Croydon, PA PGM Trading Corp., New York, NY

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